

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants – M.A&U.D Department – V&E Report No.36, dated.29.07.2024 – Verification of works carried out under the Special Development Fund (SDF) Programme in Visakhapatnam District (erstwhile) – Departmental Proceedings against Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam, under Rule-20 of the A.P. Civil Service (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 - Article of charges - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1434

Dated: 05-12-2025
Read the following:-

- 1) From the Director General, G.A. (V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.36 (C.No.5253/V&E/Engg./2021), dated.29.07.2024.
- 2) Govt.Memo.No.2595244/Vig.I/2024, dated.27.03.2025.
- 3) G.O.Ms. No.53, MA&UD (Vig.I) Dept., dated: 28.03.2025.
- 4) From the ENC, PH, A.P., Lr.No. 2875567/SDF/Vig.I/E4(1)/2025, dated:27.11.2025.

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ORDER:

In pursuance to the sanction accorded by the Govt., under sub-clause (1) of clause (b) of sub-rule (2) of Rule 9 of APRP Rules, 1980 for instituting departmental proceedings against Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam, it is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, for Verification of works carried out under the Special Development Fund (SDF) Programme in Visakhapatnam District (erstwhile).

2. The statement of articles of charges and statement of imputations of misconduct and misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Annexures - I& II. A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in Annexures - III & IV.

3. Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam is directed to submit his written statement of defense within (15) days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

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6. Attention of Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam is invited to Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be presumed that said Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The ENC, PH, Tadepalli is directed to furnish copies of documents as per Annexure-III to Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam.

8. The receipt of the G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**S. SURESH KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri. B.Venugopal Rao, the then Executive Engineer (Retired), Zone-V,GVMC, Gajuwaka, Visakhapatnam - **through** the ENC, PH, Tadepalli.

The ENC, PH, A.P., Tadepalli.

The Commissioner, GVMC, Visakhapatnam.

Copy to:

The G.A. (V&E) Department, RTC Complex, A.P., Vijayawada.

The Secretary to A.P. Vigilance Commission, 5th Building, A.P. Secretariat.

SF / SC(E.No:2595244).

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER.